GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
WATER RESOURCES
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:2995
ANSWERED ON:20.12.2004
DREDGING OF DURGAPUR BARRAGE
Khan Shri Sunil

Will the Minister of WATER RESOURCES be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Union Government propose to provide assistance for drainage and desilting of Durgapur Barrage Area;

(b) if so, the details thereof; and

(c) if not, the reasons therefor?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF WATER RESOURCES (SHRI JAI PRAKASH NARAYAN YADAV)

(a) Flood management, erosion control being a State subject, the schemes for flood management and erosion control are planned, funded and executed by the State Governments themselves as per their own priorities out of their State plan funds which are made available t o them through Planning Commission. The assistance rendered by Central Government is technical, catalytical and promotional in nature. However, no proposal of drainage & desilting of Durgapur Barrage area has been received from the State Government.

(b)&(c) Does not arise.